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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated February 10, 2005, Applicant elects Group I, Claims 1-8, with traverse. The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider the restriction requirement as a search for the elected invention would necessarily entail a search for the non-elected invention. Favorable consideration is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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